

# Alexandria Gazette

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 27, 1880.

"DIPPING"—The Countess of Antrim has effected a diversion. The cards for her last afternoon "At Home" in L. wades square were marked, "Dipping at 4.30 precisely," and, as may be imagined, this created a considerable excitement. What could be about to happen? Was the Countess bent on a bathing party? Was it some American surprise? What could it be? It was simply that each visitor dipped his or her hand in a vast receptacle and drew forth some small and elegant present. The idea proved a great success, and will, I have no doubt, be frequently adopted at fashionable receptions. It adds considerably to the opportunities for display; it will enable people to show off their wealth in an undecidable manner, and this seems the great ambition of society!—*London Correspondent.*

NORFOLK AS A COTTON PORT.—Norfolk, Va., continues rapid strides as a cotton port. The receipts of cotton at the principal ports since September 1 last: Norfolk second on the list, with 727,754 bales, New Orleans leading with 1,474,387, and Savannah following with 725,554. Charleston 479,337, Galveston 470,229 and Mobile 352,110 bales. Of Norfolk's receipts 251,185 bales were exported direct to Europe, the rest having gone coastwise on local transshipments or orders from manufacturers.

## CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

By virtue of authority vested in us by the State Central Committee, we hereby designate Wednesday, the 27th day of August, 1880, as the time, and Alexandria as the place, for holding a convention to nominate the Democratic candidate for Congress in the 8th Congressional District of Virginia.

The basis of representation will be one delegate and one alternate to every one hundred votes and fractions of one hundred exceeding fifty cast for Tilden and Hendricks in 1876.

Delegates to said convention are to be selected by county, district or ward meetings, or by primary election by wards or districts, as the various county or city committees may elect, and at such times as the respective county or city committees may determine; provided, that if district ward meetings or primary elections are adopted, such meetings or elections in any one county or city shall be held on the same day.

S. S. TURNER,  
R. E. LEWIS,  
FOR SECRETARY,  
F. R. BERRY,  
Members of the State Central Committee for the Eighth Congressional District of Virginia.

# BON TON STARCH.

Is absolutely odorless, and chemically pure.

It is snow flake white.

It is susceptible of the highest and most lasting Polish.

It possesses greater strength of body than other trade brands.

It is packed in Pound Parcels. Full Weight guaranteed.

It costs less money than any Starch in the world.

It is sold universally in America by Grocers and dealers.

Its annual consumption reaches Twenty Million Pounds.

It is manufactured by ANDREW ERKENBROEHER, at Cincinnati, Ohio, in the heart of the greatest cereal region of the Globe.

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## ITALIAN INSECT POWDER.

Warranted to Kill ROACHES, FLIES, ANTS, BED BUGS AND ALL OTHER SPECIES OF INSECT.

Not poisonous to human beings, domestic animals or fowls. Just received a fresh supply at WARFIELD & HALLS, Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

## NEW GOODS FOR JULY AND AUGUST.

We have just received a new lot of Lawns at 6c, 8c, 10c and 12c; per yard; also a choice lot of full Standard Prints at 6c, with other cheap goods. Call and examine stock.

D. P. BRASHEAR, 109 King st., Alexandria, Va.

## NOTICE TO SMOKERS.—Lovers of the weed will always find a large and choice stock of Cigars at both our main and branch stores. A strictly first-class FIVE CENT CIGAR is our specialty.

JANNEY & CO., Druggists, No. 162 King street, and n. w. cor. King and Royal sts.

## FINE TOILET SOAPS.—Lettuce, Cashmere, Bouquet, Glycerine, Honey, Elder Flower, Turbine Oil, Vaseline, Austrian Bath and Olive Castile, just received in every variety of style and price.

JANNEY & CO., Druggists, Nos. 79 and 162 King st.

## BOYD'S BATTERIES.—We have just received another supply of Boyd's Batteries. We have sold a great number of the above, and have been informed by purchasers that they have derived great benefit. Price 50 cents. No charge for postage.

W. S. LEADBEATER & BRO., 109 King st., Alexandria, Va.

## HAMMOCKS! HAMMOCKS! Persons who are tired of the country for the summer will find nothing more useful than a genuine Mexican Grass Hammock, which they can get cheap at

McLEAN & UHLER'S, 76 King street.

## ROTAPE PEACH AND APPLE PAPER, combined, Little Favorite, and other Apple Papers, Bell Metal, Brass and Enamelled Preserving Kettles; just received and for sale at 88 King, on the corner of Royal street, by J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

July 4

## MILLVILLE GLASS FRUIT JARS.—We have just received a supply of these, without stock pits, quarts and half gallons; wholesale and retail.

JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS, 63 King street.

## PRESERVING KETTLES AND SAUCES.—Brass, Porcelain lined and Bell Metal Kettles, &c., for sale by

J. F. CARLIN & SONS, 63 King street.

## HITCHCOCK LAMPS! HITCHCOCK LAMPS! We have just received a lot of the Hitchcock House Lamps. Call and examine.

McLEAN & UHLER, 76 King street.

## WE HAVE received direct from the Franklin Refinery a lot of MOULD A SUGAR, to which we especially invite the attention of confectioners.

W. A. JOHNSON & CO., 19 N. Royal st.

## SMALL HAMS! J. C. MILBURN'S, 19 N. Royal st.

## COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

CHAS. S. TAYLOR, JR., (Late of J. T. Beckham & Co.) GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT.

AND FEED DEALER.

J. B. FICKLEN & SONS' FLOUR, BRIDGEWATER FAMILY FLOUR, 11 North Union street, Alexandria, Virginia.

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W. A. JOHNSON & CO., WHOLESALE GROCERS, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.

Have on hand GIBSON'S XX, XXX, XXXX and PURE OLD RYE, OLD CABINET and MONOGRAM WHISKIES; also BAKER'S and THOMPSON'S PURE RYE WHISKIES, to which they invite the attention of the trade.

Orders from the country for merchandise shall receive prompt attention.

Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country Produce solicited, for which they guarantee the highest market prices and prompt returns.

Northwest corner of Cameron and Royal sts., Alexandria, Va. oct 20

HARMON & SMITH, WHOLESALE GROCERS AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Corner Prince and Royal sts., ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Consignments of Grain and Country Produce solicited, and prompt returns made. ly 10

HARLOW BROS., WHOLESALE GROCERS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS, AND DEALERS IN JOHN GIBSON'S SON'S CO'S. CABINET X, XX and XXX WHISKIES, and Thompson's Pure Rye Whiskey; Foreign Wines and Brandies, Ale, Porter and Champagnes.

AGENCY OF LAFIN & RAND'S POWDER COMPANY.

N. W. COR. CAMERON AND ROYAL STS. Coffee roasted for the trade at 75c per sack. my 6-11

J. BROOKS & CO., Wholesale Dealers and Jobbers in GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FLOUR, SALT AND FISH.

A full line of celebrated pure, old Whiskies, Brandies, Gin, Rum, &c., Messy & Co's Philadelphia and Claret's Baltimore, and Berner & Engel's Lager Beer, in cases or bottles.

Agents for James S. Welch's Best Family Flour, James S. Kirk & Co's. Standard Soups, Dupont & Co's. Sporting and Blasting Gunpowder, and Baltimore and Potomac River Steamer.

Orders promptly attended to, and consignments solicited. No. 11 King street, oct 26-11

J. C. MILBURN, WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER, TEA DEALER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 19 north Royal st., near Market space, Alexandria, Va.

Consignments and orders will receive careful and prompt attention. my 29

THOMAS PERRY, Agent, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 17 King street, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Agent for the sale of ISAAC WENGER'S CELEBRATED FAMILY FLOUR, Jan 18-11

PHILIP B. HOOE, COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANT, Dealer in all kinds of FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER, LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY, feb 5-11

R. M. LAWSON, J. J. JAMIESON, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, 69 CAMERON STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA. nov 13

NEW AUCTION AND COMMISSION HOUSE, We have opened at No. 22 ROYAL ST. an Auction and Commission House. We are now ready to receive all kinds of merchandise and household goods on consignment or purchase the same.

We think it may prove an advantage to persons who have PRODUCE of any description to send it to us. Located immediately opposite the main entrance to the Market on Royal st., goods can be exposed every morning at public auction, when the best prices may be expected. Prompt returns made on sales.

Persons having FURNITURE for sale will find it to their advantage to give us a call. We will attend to auctioneering at public sales of property, and respectfully solicit a share of public patronage. U'NAL & LUOAS, Auction goods constantly on hand and for sale, nov 6-11

W. A. SMOOT, DEALER IN COAL, SALT AND PLASTER, SMOOT'S WHARF, (Foot of Princess st.) Alexandria, Virginia. feb 21-11

HOUSEKEEPERS' ATTENTION!—Walnut floor stain, Paints, ready mixed, of all desired colors; Oleic acid and Alabaster for coloring inside walls and ceilings; Insect Powders, and Blow Guns for using the powder; Poisons of several kinds for killing rats, mice and roaches. Sold by

W. S. LEADBEATER & BRO., LONDON PURPLE, the new poison for the destruction of the Potato Bug, Cotton Worm, &c.; also BEST PARS GREEN, the same brand that we have been selling for several years. Large supplies just received by

W. S. LEADBEATER & BRO., 109 King st., Alexandria, Va. feb 21-11

REDUCING STOCK.—Best Madras Ginghams at 12c; all styles of goods reduced in prices; bargains in Remnants; Figured Linen Lawns and Grenadines at half price. Our stock is large and must be reduced. Call and take advantage of our down prices.

W. S. LEADBEATER & BRO., 109 King st., Alexandria, Va. feb 21-11

REVOLVING PISTOLS just received at 88 King street, corner of Royal—Nice goods at low prices, that can be relied upon in case of emergency. Call and see.

J. T. CREIGHTON & SON, EXCELSIOR INSECT POWDER GUNS for sale by

WARFIELD & HALL, 109 King st., Alexandria, Va. feb 21-11

## STOVES AND TINWARE.

S. P. DEVAUGHAN, Copper, Tin & Sheet Iron Worker

PITT ST., BET. KING & PRINCE, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Has opened a regular job shop. He is prepared to do all kinds of job work in his line, including stoves, work in all its branches; heaters, a specialty. Roofing, guttering, spouting and all kinds of job work in tin and sheet iron. All work entrusted to his care will receive his personal attention. Charges moderate and satisfaction guaranteed. jg 6-3m

PAPER HANGINGS, &c. ESTABLISHED 1850.

J. P. CLARKE, AT THE OLD LOCATION—158 KING ST. Will exhibit a well assorted stock of WALL PAPERS, WINDOW SHADES, CORDS, CORDS AND TASSELS, FINE PICTURES AND PICTURE FRAMES from the best manufacturers and importers, of the newest and most popular designs.

He intends by faithful attention to the wants of his customers and fair dealing to merit a share of their patronage. oct

FOR SALE OR RENT, FRAME DWELLING, on the east side of St. Asaph street, between Cameron and Queen, containing water, gas, heater, &c., recently occupied by W. H. May. Possession given at once. For terms, &c., apply at this office. oct

FOR RENT OR LEASE.—The desirable and roomy STORE and WAREHOUSE No. 47 Cameron street, lately occupied by S. B. Lawson & Co. Apply to

R. M. LAWSON, FOR RENT—HOUSE No. 35 Cameron st., between Fairfax and Lee. Apply to

J. H. D. SMOOT, ICE CREAM, FOR THE WARM WEATHER.

LEMON ICE CREAM, VANILLA ICE CREAM, STRAWBERRY ICE CREAM, WATER ICE, SODA WATER, ICE CUSTARD.

BREngle, 129 King street, will sell Ice Cream at the same rates, notwithstanding the ice famine. He would "trade" his cream by the price, but his cream would lose the good name that years of fair dealing have won for it. He asks that persons abroad ordering "Brengele's Cream" from third parties will assure themselves that the cream sent is certainly from his establishment. He warrants his cream and does not wish that inferior cream may injure its reputation.

His healthful hand-made candies, free of terra alba or glucose, have been largely purchased during the past season. To those who have used them he refers for testimony of their excellence.

Cream Puffs, Tarts and Pastry, Candies and Taffy of all kinds. Pies a specialty. Fruits, Sultana Raisins, Caromels, and Sugared Fruits. His CAKES, Breads, Fruit, Pound Jelly and Fancy, Ornamented and Plain, are sold cheaper than they can be manufactured at home.

He caters for families and entertainments. my 12-11

HUBS, RIMS, SPOKES, WHEELS, &c., at very low prices, at 88 King, corner of Royal street, Alexandria, Va. The subscribers, for want of room, will sell all goods in the above line at reduced prices. Special attention is asked to stock of Wheels of Virginia manufacture, which will be sold at a great bargain. We have on hand Gum and Enamelled Canvases, Oil Cloth, and other trimmings, at prices to suit the times. Call and see. my 12

J. T. CREIGHTON & SON, HOSIERY, GLOVES, Handkerchiefs, Collars and Cuffs, in great variety, at BERRY'S, LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S MERINO VESTS AND PANTS, all sizes and qualities, at C. C. BERRY'S, ZEPHYR WORSTEDS, Germantown Wools and Knitting Yarns, in all shades and colors, at C. C. BERRY'S.

FERTILIZING CHEMICALS, of guaranteed purity, for Wheat, Corn, Potatoes and Tobacco, For sale by

mb 4 JANNEY & CO., 79 & 162 King st

WE respectfully invite the attention of consumers to our stock of GIBSON'S PURE OLD RYE WHISKIES, for the use of INVALIDS and CONNOISSEURS. These WHISKIES are highly improved by age, and their unrivaled quality is widely known and appreciated. For sale by

W. A. JOHNSON & CO., 69 CAMERON STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA. oct 27

JOS. HIGGINS, PLUMBER AND STEAM FITTER, NO. 19 SOUTH PITT STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

All orders promptly attended to. -

CORSETS! CORSETS! We received a day 285 Corsets, and offer them for sale at 50 cents each. These are the best goods ever sold at the price. Call and see them. D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King st., Alexandria, Va. jg 30

LEADBEATER'S LUBRICATING LINIMENT, for Rheumatism, Sprains, &c., and LEADBEATER'S COUGH SYRUP, both standard and well known remedies, are prepared and for sale by

W. S. LEADBEATER & BRO., INSECT POWDER, of various kinds, and POWDER GUNS for using the same; also PARS GREEN and LONDON PURPLE, for the destruction of Potato Bugs, &c.; large stock on hand and for sale by

W. S. LEADBEATER & BRO., NOTICE—GARDEN SEED.—Persons desiring Garden Seed from D. M. Ferry & Co. or Hiram Sibley & Co. can procure them by leaving their orders with

W. F. CREIGHTON & SON, 85 King street. feb 4

FRUIT JARS.—First installment of the celebrated GEM, Mason Improved, and Mason's Porcelain lined Fruit Jars, pint, quart and half gallon just received and for sale low by the dozen or gross by

J. E. MILLER & CO., 65 King street. my 25

BUGGY AND LIGHT WAGON WHEELS. Just received and for sale cheap at 88 King street, corner of Royal, a lot of first class plain WHEELS, of Virginia manufacture. Call and see. mb 16

J. T. CREIGHTON & SON, SUMMIT MINERAL SPRING WATER, direct from the spring; a remarkable remedy for dyspepsia, &c. We can refer to several of our prominent citizens as to its good effects. For sale by the barrel or less quantity.

W. S. LEADBEATER & BRO., SWINGS! SWINGS! SWINGS! Call and examine the new patent swing; cheap, durable and easily worked.

McLEAN & UHLER, 76 King street. my 29

HAMMOCKS! HAMMOCKS! Genuine Mexican Grass Hammocks at

McLEAN & UHLER'S, 76 King street. sep 29

POLSON—Poison for Rats, Mice, Roaches, Bed Bugs, &c., of various kinds; also Insect Powder Guns and our celebrated Preventive for Moths. Full supply on hand.

W. S. LEADBEATER & BRO., INDIA LINEN AND MULL, in blue, pink, cream and white; also Lined Dress Goods received to-day by

D. F. BRASHEAR, WHEATSTRAW, Corn Bran, White and Stuffs, and Bran, for Ship Stuffs, Brown

CHAS. S. TAYLOR, JR., 19 N. Royal st. feb 21-11

## LOTTERIES.

22d POPULAR MONTHLY DRAWING OF THE

Commonwealth Distribution Co.

At Macaulay's Theatre, in the city of Louisville, on SATURDAY, July 31, 1880.

THESE DRAWINGS ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATURE AND SUPERINTENDED BY ALL THE COURTS OF KENTUCKY, according to a contract made with the owners of the Frankfort grant, will occur regularly on the LAST DAY OF EVERY MONTH, Sundays and Fridays excepted, for the period of FIVE YEARS, terminating on JUNE 30, 1885.

The United States Circuit Court on March 31 rendered the following decisions:

1st.—That the Commonwealth Distribution Company is legal.

2d.—Its drawings are fair.

The management call attention to the liberal scheme which has met with such popular favor heretofore, and which will again be presented for the

JULY DRAWING.

1 prize \$50,000 100 prizes \$100 each \$10,000

prizes 5,000 200 prizes 50 each 10,000

prizes 1,000 1,000 prizes 10 each 10,000

10 prizes \$1,000 each \$10,000

20 prizes 500 each 10,000

9 prizes 300 each, Approx. prizes \$2,700

9 prizes 200 each, " " 1,800

9 prizes 100 each " " 900

1,960 prizes \$112,400

Whole tickets \$2; half tickets \$1; 27 tickets \$50; 55 tickets \$100

Agent, Box Post Office Money Order, Registered Letter, Bank Draft or Express.

To insure against mistakes and delays, correspondents will please write their names and places of residence plainly, giving number of Post Office box or Street, and Town, County and State.

All communications connected with the Distribution and Orders for Tickets should be addressed to

W. F. CREIGHTON, Courier-Journal Building, Louisville, Ky., or at Nos. 307 and 309 Broadway, N. Y. jg 28-aid

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, &c. W. F. CREIGHTON, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, Patent Medicines, Oils, Dye Stuffs, Garden Seed, &c., &c.

No. 85 King street, (under Sarcophagus Hall), ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded. Orders will receive prompt attention. mb 29-11

JOHN T. COLE & CO., (Successors to Jno. Y. Gibson & Co.) PEABODY BUILDING, Dealers in DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, German and Domestic Toilet Soaps, Low's and Lubin's Extracts, Hair Brushes and Combs and a fine assortment of English Tooth and Nail Brushes. Prescriptions a specialty. my 22-11

S. B. JANNEY, M. R. JANNEY, C. J. W. SUMMERS, A. A. WARFIELD, C. J. W. SUMMERS

JANNEY & CO., DEALERS IN

Drugs, Paints, Oils, Garden Seed

WINDOW GLASS, SPICES, Acids, Dye Stuffs and Druggists' Sundries. Physicians' prescriptions carefully compounded. Orders and inquiries from the country promptly attended to.

MAIN STORE—At their NEW BUILDING, No. 162 King street.

BRANCH STORE—Northwest corner King and Royal streets. dec 23

L. STABLER & CO., (Successors to K. H. Stabler) Druggists and Chemists,

N. W. COR. KING & WASHINGTON STS. Dealers in Patent Medicines, Drugs, Cigars and Cigarettes, Fine Tooth Brushes, Nail Brushes, German and Domestic Cologne, Hair Brushes, Sponges, Flesh Straps, &c. Special care given to prescriptions. jan 28-11

EDWARD S. LEADBEATER, THOS. LEADBEATER

E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Nos. 5 and 7 S. Fairfax st. Established 1793.

Dealers in PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, PROPRIETARY MEDICINES, GARDEN SEEDS, SPICES, AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS FINE TOILET GOODS, &c., &c.

Proprietors of Anodyne Pectoral, Lubricating Liniment, Essence Jamaica Ginger and Cough Syrup, and Agents for Ayer's Medicines, Averill's Chemical Paints, &c.

Every effort will be made to maintain the high reputation of our old establishment. my 3

WARFIELD & HALL, DRUGGISTS, COR. PRINCE & FAIRFAX STS.

Prescriptions a specialty. English, French, German and Domestic Toilet Soaps; Genuine Farina Cologne; Magnolia, Hedyosmia, Geranium and Florida Water; Genuine Lubin's Extract; Sponges, Hair Brushes and Combs; Best English Tooth Brushes; a full assortment of Patent Medicines; Oils, Glycerine, Castor Oil; Sea Moss Farine; Spices of all kinds; and a select stock of all articles sold by druggists at prices as low as the same quality can be obtained elsewhere. dec 1

NEW GOODS IN THE HARDWARE LINE at 88 King, corner of Royal street. Just received, the STEAK-KRITZ, for ironing beefsteaks; it never fails to make the toughest steak tender all the way through. Also the best setting of DELUSION RATTAP, sold in new and old and examined.

Moth Proof and Chrysomelid Felt, Matting Tacks, Tack Cloves, Carpet Hammers, Carpet Stretchers, White-wash, Dusters and Scrub Brushes, and other goods suited to the season. The Windsor Scale for sale cheap.

ap 20 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON, TRY OUR IMPROVED CREAM BISCUIT. THE BEST ON THE MARKET.

This delicate Biscuit is very desirable for tea or lunch, and is especially recommended for invalids and children.

feb 28-11 GEORGE HILL & CO.

W. S. MOORE, MACHINIST AND BLACKSMITH, No. 65 Union street, Alexandria, Virginia.

Where he is prepared to furnish all kinds of MACHINERY, WROUGHT AND CAST IRON PUMPS, &c. Repairing done with dispatch and at prices that were charged previous to the war. dec 12